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In Re Application Of:

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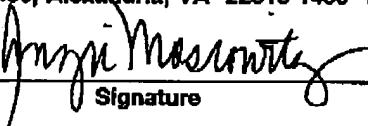
Filed: December 12, 2003

Examiner: Essama Omgba

For: DRIVESHAFT AND METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PRODUCING SAME

Attorney Docket No.: GKNG 1185 PUS

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent via facsimile to: Attn: Examiner Essama Omgba, Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 fax number (703) 872-9306 on:

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Signature**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Applicant submits this Amendment and Request for Reconsideration in response to the Office Action dated December 14, 2004. This response is timely because it is being filed within a three-month time period allowed for a response. Please amend the above-identified application as follows: